

Governor's Service Award nominations are due in one week

Make your voice heard: make a nomination today!

Eight categories, one message

Click here to nominate:

<http://www.in.gov/ofbci/2390.htm>

Service and volunteerism are second nature to Hoosiers. When the March storms hit, thousands of Hoosiers traveled to southern Indiana to help their neighbors rebuild their homes, showing us how much we care about each other.



Even though this is who we are, the more service and volunteerism are recognized, the more service and volunteerism our communities will receive. It is for this reason that [the OFBCI](#), the [Indiana Commission on Community Service and Volunteerism](#), and our new partner, SAVI (through [The Polis Center at IUPUI](#)), are calling on people from all 92 of Indiana's counties to recognize outstanding Hoosiers with nominations in all of the eight Service Award categories:

- Corporate Volunteerism - Honor a business that has a community conscience.
- Faith-Based Service - Recognize those who serve their community because they desire to reflect the love of their faith.
- Youth Service - Nominate a young man or woman who have a spirit for service beyond their years.
- Lifetime Achievement - Celebrate individuals who have shown a long term dedication to service and volunteerism.
- Communities of Service - Applaud communities that pull together to accomplish great things.
- Service Learning - Commend educators who take their learning and activities beyond the classroom and beyond socio-economic boundaries.
- National Service - Salute those who sacrifice the traditional career path to blaze new trails in the nonprofit and community service world.

- Volunteerism - Give credit to someone who shines through their actions for your organization or your community.

With nominations due July 27, "Don't delay -- nominate today!"

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Award winners will be celebrated on October 1 at the Governor's residence. Any Hoosier may be nominated from any of Indiana's 92 counties. Past recipients have included mentors, faith leaders, church members, members of various faith followings, students, college professors, nonprofit volunteers, as well as small and large businesses.

Learn more about this year's "Governor's Conference on Service and Nonprofit Capacity Building" by clicking here:

www.savi.org/OFBCI/governorsconference

Governor's Service Award Winners inspire us. Listen to two of them talk about their service and volunteerism experience.



2011 award winner, Tavetta Patterson, discusses service and volunteerism

2011 award winner, Dr. Marisel Moreno, talks about her service learning ethic





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